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Subject: Pollinator Research Task Force (PRTF), EPA Company Number 92149
Summary of Phase 1 honeybee larval toxicity ring test results

Dear Mr. Keigwin:

The newly formed Pollinator Research Task Force (PRTF) is pleased to submit the enclosed summary of phase 1 honeybee larval toxicity ring test results.

This report and the accompanying spreadsheets (on provided disc) describe the results of a collaborative, multi-lab effort, initiated in July 2015, with the goal of implementing method modifications to the "OECD Draft Guidance Document for Honey Bee (*Apis mellifera*) Larval Toxicity Test, Repeated Exposure" (OECD, 2015) developed at the University of Florida (UF) and evaluating control survival in honey bees reared using the UF method modifications. The documents being submitted are specifically described in the following table. Please share this report with the appropriate EPA staff involved in the Agency's pollinator protection program.

Guideline Requirement	Title	MRID Number
NA	Cover Letter	ADMIN
NA	EPA Form 8570-1: Application for Pesticide Registration	ADMIN
SS-1156	2015 Phase 1 Summary Report Final	
SS-1156	Phase 1 Performance Data	
SS-1156	Questionnaire summary	

Sincerely,



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